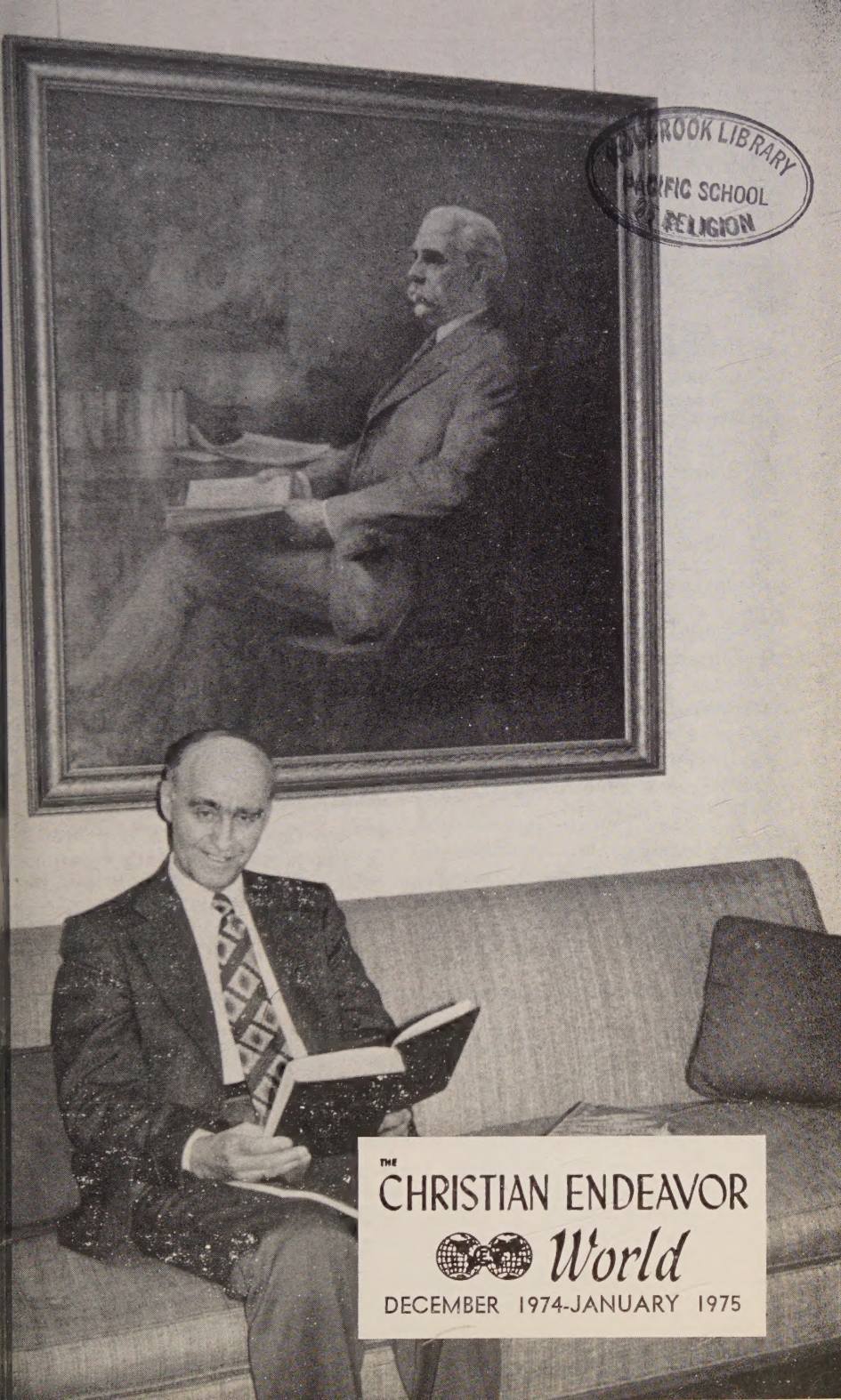
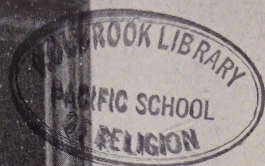




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The Cover . . .

Sitting in the Jones Room at Christian Endeavor World Headquarters is Rev. Arno Pagel of Germany, president of the World's Union. He is reading one of the books written by the founder, Francis E. Clark, whose portrait is behind him.

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- 27-29—Virginia Easter Weekend Retreat, Lakeside Farm, Columbia

Answers from Your Bible

Here are notes from a gifted Lutheran minister's sermon:

"Why is there a Christmas Day? Not merely because angels sang of peace and good will and because visitors from afar fell to their knees in homage and worship.

"A deeper answer is in the name of the child received from Heaven: Jesus, meaning 'He shall save His people from their sins' (Matthew 1:21)."

To continue, why the miracles? Because faith in God drew forth through His Son new cleansing and wholeness, divine resources applied to needs (Matthew 8:5-17; 15:22-28; 32).

Why did this Saviour die on the cross, like the worst of sinners? Because He accepted the burden of the sins of all mankind (Romans 5:8-21).

And finally, why the Resurrection? Christ proves that death transforms the faithful for Life Everlasting (Read John 14:2-4, 18-21; Romans 6:20-23).

—B.H.D.

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**Oregon Invites
Endeavorers . . .**

COME TO PORTLAND

Great things are in store this summer in the City of Roses at the 53rd International Christian Endeavor Convention June 30-July 4.

Speakers for the evening mass meetings include Rev. James Murdoch, W. Carl Ketcherside, and Dr. Billy Zeoli. For the opening session the delegates will attend THE AMERICANA PAGEANT presented by Portland Youth for Christ. A sacred concert Thursday evening at the Paramount Theater in downtown Portland will feature Joy Simpson.

The campus of Lewis and Clark College in suburban Portland will be the site of the convention with most major sessions in Pamplin Sports Center. The campus provides fine facilities for a recreational program, as well as modern dormitories, a beautiful chapel, and ample space for all convention activities.

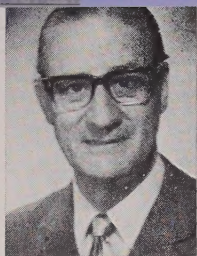
Exciting new features planned by the Portland Program Committee, headed by Rev. Roger D. Vander Kolk of Michigan, include an early morning Communion service; a new concept for convention classes will feature Bible study and "growth groups" with a variety of emphases.

Each morning there will be a general session with a very special feature, like a Roll Call of Unions or an Oregon Day. Juniors will have special events daily, with a Junior Convention Friday. There will be rap sessions and a coffee house for youth following evening sessions. The Youth Assembly will meet, bringing together representatives of denominations and unions.

Tours offered by the local committee at reasonable prices will include sight-seeing, travel to beautiful Mt. Hood, and the Columbia River.

Odell Manor, center of 110-acre Lewis and Clark College campus.

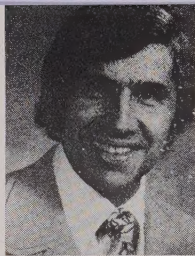




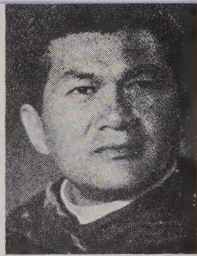
James Murdoch



Carl Ketcherside



Billy Zeoli



Abraham Akaka

Program Personalities

The opening session Monday evening will transport delegates to Alpenrose Dairyland (about 10 miles from Lewis and Clark College) to see **THE AMERICANA PAGEANT**. This dramatic presentation emphasizes the religious aspects of American history. Roland Boyce of Portland Youth for Christ is director.

Rev. James Murdoch, pastor of the Westwood Congregation of the East Kirkbride Baptist Church, Glasgow, Scotland, will address the convention Tuesday. Mr. Murdoch served as president of the Scottish Christian Endeavor Union 1957-58, the British Union 1961-62, and is now a vice-president of the World's Union. In addition to extensive travel for Christian Endeavor in Europe, this popular Scottish preacher was chapel speaker at the Northfield Conference for Youth, sponsored by the Massachusetts Union, in 1973 and again in 1974.

Wednesday night's speaker will be W. Carl Ketcherside, editor of **MISION MESSENGER**, a monthly missionary journal with worldwide circulation. Mr. Ketcherside has direct-

ed the Church of Christ Hour radio program for seven years; authored twenty-seven books, the latest being "Heaven Help Us"; served as lecturer in Great Britain, as well as on many college campuses in America; spoke at the North American Christian Convention and the World Convention of Churches of Christ; and recently made a film at Paramount Studios for Christian Television Mission.

Speaker for the closing session Friday night, Dr. Billy Zeoli, is president of Gospel Films, Inc., the world's most prolific producer of Christian films. This energetic minister of the Independent Presbyterian Church is a "mod" evangelist who serves as chaplain to professional football and baseball teams. From a ministry to youth through Youth for Christ International, he has most recently opened the White House door to serve as a spiritual advisor to the president of the United States.

The Quiet Hour Thursday and Friday morning will be led by Dr. Abraham Akaka, popular minister of Kawaiahao Church, Honolulu, Hawaii.

Thursday night Joy Elizabeth Simpson, a graduate of Juilliard School of Music and assistant professor of music at Community College in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, will present a sacred concert at the Paramount Theater in downtown Portland. This dramatic soprano, who thrilled the delegates of the 52nd International and the 17th World's Christian Endeavor Conventions with her singing, will be accompanied by her sister Evelyn, also an accomplished musician. Following the concert there will be a hymn sing at the Forecourt Fountain at the Civic Center.



Joy Simpson

Arrangements and Costs

Lewis and Clark College in suburban Portland will be the site for convention activities. The total "package plan" covering registration fee, housing, and meals will be \$75. This covers \$10 registration fee plus five nights' lodging dormitory style (two

to a room) Monday-Friday, and all meals, including the banquet, Tuesday-Friday. Single room supplement for the week is \$10. All reservations with payment in full must be received by June 10.

One-Week Special June 28-July 5, 1975

All efforts to provide a charter flight from the east to Portland, Oregon, for convention delegates have been fruitless. An alternate plan has been worked out to secure special airfares.

Leave from any eastern city served by United Airlines on Saturday, June 28, and enjoy one full week in Portland, flying home Saturday, July 5.

Enjoy a deluxe weekend at the Portland Hilton Hotel, with all meals and transfers, plus a full-day tour to Mt. Hood, with lunch at Timberline Lodge, and a cruise on the Columbia River.

Cost for this weekend plus airfare via United will be: From Chicago, \$268; Grand Rapids or Fort Wayne, \$282; Toronto, Detroit, or Columbus, \$293; Cleveland, \$298; Pittsburgh, \$307; Buffalo, \$312; Washington,

D.C., \$325; Allentown, Philadelphia, or Richmond, \$332; and New York, \$337.

To secure these special rates the air travel and weekend package must be purchased together; this will be handled through a Portland travel agency.

Under this special plan total cost for the convention will be \$343 from Chicago (\$268 airfare and weekend cost, plus \$75 package plan), for instance. Rates for other cities can be figured by adding the \$75 convention package to the weekend/airfare cost.

Since there will be a limited number of seats available on regularly scheduled airlines at this July 4 peak travel season, send your \$10 convention registration to the International Society today to secure reservation forms.

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International Congress on World Evangelism

LET THE EARTH HEAR HIS VOICE

By Rev. Arno Pagel, Germany

This important Congress was held July 16-25, 1974, in Lausanne, Switzerland. Here are—with some delay—some of the impressions of a Christian Endeavor member who had the privilege to attend.

More than 3,000 delegates and observers met. The goal of the general assemblies, of the strategic group discussions, of the prayer meetings, etc., was to receive a new, fresh vision of the most important task in this world and especially in our time. And this is to bring the knowledge of the saving Gospel to the ends of the earth. There are still more than two billion men who have never heard of the Lord Jesus Christ. Without fixing any date, it was the conviction of those who gathered together in Lausanne that the Second Coming of Christ is imminent. The time of harvest in world evangelization is coming to its end, and it is still the urgent job to call as many people as possible into the Kingdom of Grace.

In many small groups various items of interest were considered. We heard especially of the great variety of means which are used today to effectively spread the Gospel. We listened to many encouraging reports of many parts of the world; we heard that God is doing great things in our time. One evening was given to the theme: "Holy Spirit 1974." The speaker was Dr. W. Stanley Mooneyham who was also one of the speakers at the Essen World's Christian Endeavor Convention a few days later. He told us of a revival movement among South Korean soldiers and of Christians in the huge cities

of Hongkong and Singapore who invite their pagan neighbours into their 18th-story or higher flat to witness to them of salvation. We were led in spirit into the African bush where young Christians, who can neither read nor write, are singing the Gospel into the hearts of the villagers.

It was most inspiring to hear what God is doing in the countries behind the Iron and Bamboo Curtains. It was a touching experience when, after hearing these reports, everybody turned to his neighbor on the right and left, and in small groups of three or four we were praying for the suffering Church and for the extension of the Gospel even through Christians under persecution. With a brother from Ghana and another from Sweden, I was praying for the work of God in North Korea, North Vietnam, Red China, etc.

There was a great unity between Christians of so many nations, cultures, languages, and colors at the Congress. The white people did not at all dominate the scene. Some of the best contributions, messages, and testimonies were given by brothers of the Third World. But these did not accuse white missionaries, which is a favorite habit today, of imperialistic or colonial tendencies which spoil the mission work. They challenged their white brothers: "Let us stand together in the Great Commission. We need you, you need us. Only through common efforts can we fulfill Christ's work for this era."

Not any glorious optimism prevailed in Lausanne, but we were bound together by the Spirit-given



A HIGHLIGHT of the visit of World Union President Arno Pagel to Columbus Headquarters January 8-10 was a lunch with Headquarters personnel. Shown (above) from left are: Rev. Charles W. Barner, Mrs. Anna E. Voss, Robert S. Hildreth, Ruth Baker, Mrs. Bessie Barnett, Mrs. Clela Peak, Phyllis I. Rike, Mrs. Jean Hinton, Mrs. Shelia Kidd, Mrs. Eleanor J. Tope, and Mr. Pagel. Reviewing World's Union business in the Jones Room (right) are Mr. Barner, Mr. Pagel, and Dr. Clyde W. Meadows.



assurance. Christ is Victor! His Kingdom will come. After cross and tribulation He will lead His church to everlasting glory. 82-year-old Dutch Corrie ten Boom, one of the great Christian ladies of our time, expressed her convictions in these simple, stirring words: "God has no problems, He only has plans." And in spite of all difficulties and battles against the Gospel, He will fulfill His plans. We are privileged to be His co-workers.

This is true, too, regarding the worldwide Christian Endeavor union. I met Christian Endeavor friends especially from India and Africa. After the Lausanne Congress with its inspiring theme: "Let the Earth Hear His Voice," we travelled to the World Convention in Essen, Germany, and there united with thousands of people from all over the world in the thrilling assurance:

"Jesus Christ—yesterday, today, and forever!"

The 48-member Continuation Committee which was elected following last year's meeting in Lausanne met in Mexico City January 20-24. Declaring themselves opposed to setting up a large bureaucratic organization representing world evangelicals, this group will continue to operate with a minimal budget and small staff and will be known as the "Lausanne Continuation Committee for World Evangelization."

Dr. Billy Graham will serve as honorary chairman of a Consultative Council of world evangelicals which is to meet every five years and will number 200. Next meeting of the committee will be early in 1976; Bishop A. Jack Dain of Australia is chairman.



Area II Chairman Visits U.S.A.

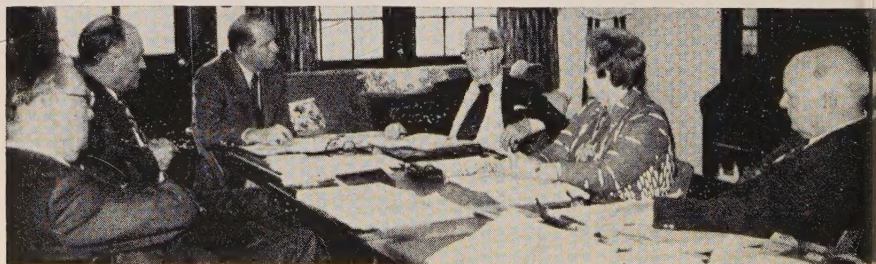
Alan J. Ramsey, chairman of Area II of the World's Christian Endeavor Union, visited the United States January 10-15. After participating in the World's Union Executive Committee meeting January 11 at Liberty Corner, New Jersey, he met with Endeavorers in Philadelphia January 12-13 and visited Christian Endeavor Headquarters in Columbus January 13-15.

Significant actions of the Executive Committee included filling two vacancies on the Board of Trustees by the election of Rev. Colin G. Lewis (Wales) and Dr. Albert Luka (England). The next Trustees meeting was scheduled June 10-11, 1975, to be held at Amerongen, The Netherlands.



IN COLUMBUS Alan Ramsey poses in foyer of World Headquarters and on his way with Charles Barner to a typically British lunch of fish and chips.

WORLD'S UNION EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE meeting January 11 at the Fellowship Deaconry, Liberty Corner, New Jersey, included (from left) Clyde W. Meadows, Arno Pagel, Charles W. Barner, Arch J. McQuilkin, Frances M. Becker, Alan J. Ramsey, and the photographer, Phyllis I. Rike.



BIBLE READING "PROJECT 80" TERMINATES AT "53"

By Bonita Sparrow

Project 80 is as useful as information, as valuable as time, and it has nothing to do with government, age or science fairs.

The 80 represents the number of hours it takes to complete the project—reading the entire Bible through from "In the beginning, God . . ." in Genesis to the final "Amen" in Revelation.

"I read that someone had been challenged to read the entire Bible through in 80 hours," said Mrs. Robert S. Crawford, wife of the pastor at Southern Oaks Baptist Church in Tyler, Texas.

Mrs. Crawford, who is "fully convinced that the best way to teach the Bible to others is to know what it says from beginning to end," suggested that the church teacher-training class she leads accept the challenge for themselves.

"We called it Project 80," she said. "We made a large poster with individual charts for the 16 class members in the project, put it in the classroom and marked the progress weekly. As individuals finished reading the Bible, they could see how many hours it took.

"Each class member read the Bible at his own pace, just like a library book, not for depth study which came later, but simply for an overall view of the Bible's content."

Mrs. Crawford suggested the class use *The Living Bible* for Project 80 "because *The Living Bible* is such an easy paraphrase to read." She completed her project in 53 hours, 12½ minutes.

She described her participation in the project as "one of the most meaningful experiences in my Christian life. I have read the Bible through many times, using our denomination's Bible-reading plan, or reading a different book of the Bible each month, but this was the first time I had gone straight through, from beginning to end."

Al Etheridge, another Project 80 participant, echoed Mrs. Crawford's enthusiasm.

"As many times as I've read the Bible, it wasn't until I read it through in Project 80 that I really began to understand the basic program that God has put forth for man," he said.

Etheridge started Project 80 with his King James Version of the Bible. "Then, about half-way through Exodus, I picked up a copy of *The Way* (the paperback version of *The Living Bible*) and read it the rest of the way through," he said.

"Before I read this paraphrase, I had never fully understood what the Bible was trying to say. It was like picking up any other history book. You know, you pick up the Bible and learn what has happened to man in the last 4,000 years.

"But when I participated in Project 80 with *The Way*, I realized that the Old Testament is a book of history and a foundation for the New Testament, which is a book for the present.

"Some portions of the Bible had always seemed mysterious to me, but now I can understand what God is trying to tell us."

Mrs. Crawford highly recommends Project 80 to church groups, or to individuals interested in better Bible understanding. "The more you study the Bible, the more you know how to live today. And that's why Project 80 is so exciting," she said.

NEWS

1975 Bible Reading Program

The very successful Bible Reading Program inaugurated in 1974 continues in 1975, with some changes. This year copies of THE WAY, youth edition of THE LIVING BIBLE, are being provided to anyone (no age limit) who makes a gift of \$4 to the International Society. The program emphasizes reading the Bible through in a year.

Belfast Choir Concert

On November 1 the Belfast Christian Endeavor Choir presented a sacred concert in Tent Hall in Glasgow, Scotland, beginning a weekend of special meetings sponsored by Scottish Endeavorers to mark the Centenary of Dwight L. Moody's visit to their country. The Belfast Choir

is an outgrowth of the 500-voice unit which sang at the World's Convention in 1966; since that date it has sung often in Ireland and in Britain and has prepared three recordings.

Bicentennial Evangelization

Evangelism leaders from Christian groups and denominations from all across the United States met December 2-4 in Chicago for a planning conference on "Evangelization During the Bicentennial." This was planned by "Evangelization Forum," a newly organized fellowship of evangelical leaders. A parallel laymen's organization, known as "The Communicators," has been formed to generate prayer and financial support and create a network of lay leadership.

IN MEMORIAM

Dr. R. W. Rash, 1904-1970

On January 19 Robert W. Rash, bishop emeritus of the Church of the United Brethren in Christ, died while relaxing in his rocking chair at home following a day's work as chaplain at Huntington (Indiana) Memorial Hospital.

From 1941-1957 Dr. Rash was general secretary of Christian education for his church; in this capacity he was very active in International Society work, serving as a member of the Educational Committee for many years and as chairman of the Program Council 1955-57.

He leaves his wife Kathyrene, 1744 College Avenue, Huntington, and three children, 13 grandchildren, and one great-grandchild.

Robert S. Hildreth, 1910-1975

During open heart surgery on January 24 Bob Hildreth, part-time shipping clerk at Headquarters in Columbus, died. He had held this employed position since January 1974, but had been active as a volunteer leader for many years. He was president of the Franklin County Union 1942-46, the Ohio Union 1950-51, and was currently office manager for Ohio.

Bob and his wife Kitty, 1159 Harrison Avenue, Columbus, were both active in the Columbus Area Adult Fellowship. Of their nine children (five sons and four daughters), four—Robert, George, David, and Dorothy—were presidents of Franklin County Union and all participated in Christian Endeavor activities. There are 24 grandchildren.



ENDEAVORERS IN ACTION

S I C E

Latest reports from the new Solomon Islands Union tell of the national convention August 2-5 at Fote, with 500 attending. Theme was "You and Your Society." After the speakers, Jezreel Filoa and Japhlet Ofea, made their presentation, delegates divided into 12 discussion groups. Twenty of the forty singing groups present took part in a musical competition. The program also included recreation and a film.

Other 1974 meetings in the Islands were the West Are-Are Rally at One Pusu, where 500 came together; the Malaita Rally at Riverside, 200 attending; and West Kwara'ae Rally at Kilusakwalo with 400 there.

R. Timothy Laesanau, who was the first secretary of the new union, is now away at school; Joash Waihura continues as president and Paul Patrick is the new secretary.

EVANSVILLE DISTRICT won the President's Trophy for this float entered by the Indiana Endeavorers in the West Side Nut Club Fall Festival Parade last October. Captions were "God Loves All Colors—God Created the World—Let Him Rule It" to correlate with the parade theme, "Colors." Jeffrey Wandtke is district union president.

Called Home

Christian sympathy to the family of *Rev. E. Franklin Jackson*, pastor of John Wesley A.M.E. Zion Church, Washington, D.C., who died December 29 in Florida following a stroke; to the family of *Harold R. Pittman*, Kingston, president of the Pennsylvania Union 1958-62, who died suddenly at church January 26; and to Bert H. Davis, Utica, New York, associate editor of THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR WORLD, whose wife, *Ruth Davis*, died December 23 following lengthy hospitalization with abdominal cancer.

Mt. Monadnock Climb

New England Endeavorers held their annual climb of Mount Monadnock in Massachusetts on October 28. After devotional services at Monadnock Bible Conference Grounds, the youth took the White Dot Trail to the summit where they enjoyed lunch.



1974 HONOR ROLL

Societies, unions, and other groups which enrolled during 1974 in the annual Christian Endeavor Roll Call are listed here. Each organization received an enrollment certificate. Those contributing \$100 or more received a gold seal certificate; red seal certificates were sent indicating gifts of \$50 or more and blue seals showing a contribution of at least \$15.

For the third time the Honor Roll shows the number of years each group has continuously supported the work of the International Society by making a financial contribution. Many groups have given in additional years, but do not have a continuous record. Groups are arranged alphabetically by states and provinces; the number of years is shown in parentheses.

Top honors for continuous giving go to the Senior Christian Endeavor Society of Nineteenth Street Baptist Church, Washington, D.C., which has given each year since 1946, a total of 29 years. A close second are the Christian Endeavor Societies of Westmoor Church of Christ, Kingston, Pennsylvania, which boast a record of 28 years. Among the unions, the Texas Union has the enviable record of 23 years, with Golden Rule Union of Washington, D.C., and the Adult Alumni Department of the New Jersey Union following next, each with a 22 year record. Among the other groups, the First Evangelical Congregational Church of Easton, Pennsylvania, is in first position for longevity with a 11 year total.

SOCIETIES Gold Seal

Senior, Dutch Reformed Church, Woodstock, New York (17)
Senior High, First Reformed Church, Yakima, Washington (3)

Red Seal

Society of First Avenue Presbyterian Church, Evansville, Indiana (1)
Senior, Williston-West Church (United Church of Christ), Portland, Maine (18)
Alpha Alumni Council, National City Christian Church, Washington, D.C. (7)
Alumni, Zion German Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (now Olivet-Covenant Presbyterian Church) (18)
Youth Fellowship, Unity Presbyterian Church, Mercer, Pennsylvania (8)
Adult, Mt. Olivet United Brethren Church, Mt. Solon, Virginia (3)
Adult, Sherkston (Grace) United Brethren Church, Sherkston, Ontario, Canada (11)

Blue Seal

Senior High, Pinson Presbyterian Church, Pinson, Alabama 35235 (7)
California Young Christians, Pentecostal Church, Garden Grove, California (1)
Verick, Mt. Pisgah A.M.E. Zion Church, Merced, California (1)
Society of Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Wilmington, Delaware (24)

Senior, Nineteenth Street Baptist Church, Washington, D.C. (29)
Senior, Third Baptist Church, Washington, D.C. (11)
Society of Zion Baptist Church, Washington, D.C. (22)
Societies of Daytona Beach United Brethren Church, Daytona Beach, Florida (1)
Society of True Light Bible School, Punta Gorda, Florida (4)
Alumni Council, United Congregational Church, Chicago, Illinois (26)
Young People's, Second Reformed Church, Fulton, Illinois (2)
Societies of Ebenezer Reformed Church, Morrison, Illinois (10)
Society of Union Chapel United Brethren in Christ Church, Fort Wayne, Indiana (8)
Varick, Campbell Chapel A.M.E. Zion Church, Indianapolis, Indiana (1)
Adult, Crestview United Brethren Church, Lafayette, Indiana (7)
Junior, Grace United Methodist Church, Hagerstown, Maryland (1)
Society of Coopersville Reformed Church, Coopersville, Michigan (1)
Society of Ferndale Christian Church, Ferndale, Michigan (8)
Senior, Harlem Reformed Church, Holland, Michigan (3)
Junior High, North Holland Reformed Church, Holland, Michigan (1)

- Society of Unity Reformed Church,
Muskegon, Michigan (1)
- Varick Metropolitan A.M.E. Zion Church,
Kansas City, Missouri (5)
- Young People's, First Presbyterian Church,
Lakewood, New Jersey (4)
- Varick, New A.M.E. Zion Church, Prospect
Park, New Jersey (1)
- Senior, Bethel A.M.E. Church, Buffalo,
New York (1)
- Youth Fellowship, Primitive Methodist
Church, Johnson Cty, New York (1)
- Junior, Woodstock Reformed Church,
Woodstock, New York (1)
- Varick's, St. Stephen A.M.E. Zion Church,
Maysville, North Carolina (4)
- Society of Avlon United Brethren Church,
Bremen, Ohio (5)
- Junior High-Senior High Societies of First
United Brethren in Christ Church,
Columbus, Ohio (1)
- Senior League, Oak Street United
Methodist Church, Dayton, Ohio (4)
- Adult Fellowship, Calvary United Methodist
Church, East Liverpool, Ohio (1)
- Youth-in-Action, Greenfield United
Brethren Church, Hillsboro, Ohio (1)
- Societies of Monticello United Brethren
Church, Monticello, Ohio (1)
- Society of St. Jacob's (Stone) Union
Church, Brodbeck, Pennsylvania (12)
- Adult Fellowship, Bethlehem United
Methodist Church, Codorus, Pennsylvania
(5)
- Junior, Fairchance Presbyterian Church,
Fairchance, Pennsylvania (1)
- Senior High, Fredonia United Presbyterian
Church, Fredonia, Pennsylvania (1)
- Adult, St. David's Union Church, Hanover,
Pennsylvania (23)
- Junior High, Trinity Evangelical
Congregational Church, Harrisburg,
Pennsylvania (1)
- Senior High, Trinity Evangelical
Congregational Church, Harrisburg,
Pennsylvania (1)
- Societies of Westmoor Church of Christ,
Kingston, Pennsylvania (28)
- Christian Endeavor Board, St. Paul's
Evangelical Congregational Church,
Laureldale, Pennsylvania (1)
- Intermediate, Trinity Evangelical
Congregational Church, Lititz,
Pennsylvania (1)
- Junior, Trinity Evangelical Congregational
Church, Lititz, Pennsylvania (12)
- Society of Trinity Evangelical
Congregational Church, Manheim,
Pennsylvania (1)
- Young People's, First United Methodist
Church, Mill Run, Pennsylvania (6)
- Society of Talmage Memorial Fourth
Reformed Church, Norristown,
Pennsylvania (1)
- Alumni, St. Paul's Reformed Episcopal
Church, Oreland, Pennsylvania (14)
- Youth, Disston Memorial Presbyterian
Church, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (3)
- Senior High, First Presbyterian Church
of Olney, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (2)
- Intermediate, Grace Chapel Reformed
Church, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (1)
- Senior High, Westminster Mayfair
Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia,
Pennsylvania (2)
- Junior, St. Luke's Evangelical
Congregational Church, Shillington,
Pennsylvania (1)
- Alpha Teens, Prince Street United Brethren
Church, Shippensburg, Pennsylvania (1)
- Senior, Prince Street United Brethren
Church, Shippensburg, Pennsylvania (3)
- Young People's, Faith Evangelical
Congregational Church, Temple,
Pennsylvania (2)
- Societies of Beverly Hills United
Presbyterian Church, Upper Darby,
Pennsylvania (2)
- Society of Blue Rock United Brethren
Church, Waynesboro, Pennsylvania (3)
- Senior High, Otterbein United Brethren
Church, Waynesboro, Pennsylvania (2)
- Young People's, St. David's Evangelical
Congregational Church, York,
Pennsylvania (1)
- Teen, Bruton Road Christian Church,
Dallas, Texas (1)
- Allen Fellowship, Smith Chapel A.M.E.
Church, Dallas, Texas (9)
- Societies of First Christian Church,
Harlingen, Texas (1)
- Senior High, Jerusalem Chapel United
Brethren Church, Churchville,
Virginia (2)
- Young People's, Bethlehem Congregational
Christian Church, Disputanta,
Virginia (17)
- Society of Hope Chapel, Norfolk,
Virginia (12)
- Junior, Third Presbyterian Church,
Petersburg, Virginia (8)
- Junior High, Third Presbyterian Church,
Petersburg, Virginia (7)
- Senior High, Third Presbyterian Church,
Petersburg, Virginia (6)
- Senior High, Melrose Christian Church,
Roanoke, Virginia (1)
- Junior, Westminster Presbyterian Church,
Roanoke, Virginia (9)
- Junior High, Westminster Presbyterian
Church, Roanoke, Virginia (5)
- Senior High, Westminster Presbyterian
Church, Roanoke, Virginia (5)
- Adult, Fifth Street United Brethren
Church, Staunton, Virginia (1)

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 Intermediate, First Reformed Church, Sheboygan Falls, Wisconsin (1)
 Junior, Garrison Road United Brethren Church, Fort Erie, Ontario, Canada (1)
 Adult, New Dundee United Brethren Church, New Dundee, Ontario, Canada (12)
 Corbetton Young People's, Shelburne, Ontario, Canada (1)

UNIONS

Gold Seal

Golden Rule, Washington, D.C. (22)
 Maryland Union (11)
 Missouri Union (7)
 St. Louis, Missouri (6)
 New England (Massachusetts) Union (1)
 New Jersey Union (6)
 New York State Union (17)
 North Carolina Union (3)
 Poling Alumni Foundation No. 1, Ohio (7)
 Oregon Union (5)
 Pennsylvania Union (5)
 Philadelphia Longtimers Association, Pennsylvania (11)
 Texas Union (23)
 Virginia Union (6)

Red Seal

Canadian Union (5)
 Worcester County, Massachusetts (1)
 Lehigh County Fellowship, Pennsylvania (4)
 Northwest Branch, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania (3)
 West Virginia Union (3)

Blue Seal

Evansville District, Indiana (1)
 Northeastern, Indiana (1)
 Sagamore Alumni Fellowship, Massachusetts (7)
 Salem Alumni Council, Massachusetts (2)
 Adult Alumni Department, New Jersey (22)
 Cam-Glo, New Jersey (1)
 Columbus Area Adult Fellowship, Ohio (4)
 Franklin County, Ohio (6)
 Luzerne County, Pennsylvania (1)
 Luzerne County Alumni Association, Pennsylvania (3)
 Montgomery County, Pennsylvania (1)
 Northeast Branch Adult Fellowship, Pennsylvania (6)
 Old York Road Branch, Philadelphia County, Pennsylvania (2)
 Southeast Central District, Pennsylvania (3)
 Dallas District, Texas (12)
 Lambton County Fellowship,

Ontario, Canada (5)

OTHER GROUPS

Gold Seal

First Baptist Church, Washington, D.C. (5)
 Christian Education Department, African Methodist Episcopal Zion Church, Chicago, Illinois (9)
 Carter Memorial Presbyterian Church, Chicago, Illinois (2)
 Department of Christian Education, Church of United Brethren in Christ, Huntington, Indiana (2)
 First Reformed Church, Kalamazoo, Michigan (2)
 Wurdack Memorial Presbyterian Church, St. Louis, Missouri (8)
 Fort Washington Collegiate Church, New York, New York (1)
 Central Presbyterian Church, Columbus, Ohio (5)
 St. John's Presbyterian Church, Devon, Pennsylvania (4)
 The Maysville Community Church, Greenville, Pennsylvania (1)
 Westminster Mayfair Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (3)
 Zion German Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (now Olivet-Covenant Presbyterian Church) (7)
 Bruton Road Christian Church, Dallas, Texas (7)

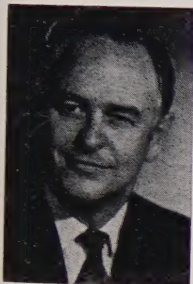
Red Seal

The First Congregational Church, Cromwell, Connecticut (5)
 Miles Avenue Church of Christ, Cleveland Ohio (2)
 Missionary Society, Community Christian Church, Erie, Pennsylvania (2)
 Bethesda Presbyterian Church, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (1)
 Northport Christian Church, Newport, Tennessee (3)
 Second Christian Church, Houston, Texas (1)
 Hopewell, Disputanta, Petersburg, Prince George, Richmond Area Endeavorers, Virginia (7)
 New Cumberland Christian Church, New Cumberland, West Virginia (5)

Blue Seal

St. Luke A.M.E. Zion Church, Wilmington, North Carolina (1)
 First Evangelical Congregational Church, Easton, Pennsylvania (11)
 Women's Guild, Emanuel United Church of Christ, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (3)
 First Presbyterian Church of O'ney, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania (8)
 Ontario Conferences, The United Brethren in Christ Church, Ontario, Canada (2)

LOOK AT IT THIS WAY...



JOIN UP NOW

**By Dr. LaVerne H. Boss, President
International Society of Christian Endeavor**

Early each year the International Society of Christian Endeavor seeks to have individuals and youth groups across the North American continent join hands, heart, and spirit in the continuation and expansion of the program and movement we all love and support. In-

dividuals have an opportunity to become members of the International Society. Youth groups or societies are also encouraged to enroll their support and commitment.

This is the life blood on which the coordinating of materials, planning of conferences, organizing conventions, providing field work, updating and reviewing topics, and a host of other things really depend.

Not too long ago I received a letter from one of our faithful supporters who indicated, "I have been a member and faithfully supported Christian Endeavor since 1927. It was at that time I attended my first international convention in Cleveland, Ohio. I thank God daily for Christian Endeavor and pray that our youth today will be trained in Christian service for Christ and the Church."

This quotation is not unusual; I receive two or three letters each month from Endeavorers who relate the wonderful experiences they have had over the years. Several months ago I received a letter in which the writer indicated she first attended a Christian Endeavor function in her local church in 1902. This type of loyalty and faithfulness certainly speaks well of our program.

The Staff, members of the Board of Trustees, and I look forward and anticipate God's blessing and direction in the work of Christian Endeavor as we continue to give leadership to a movement that has been able to maintain its strength for over 95 years.

A few weeks ago you received a letter over my signature which indicated to you the annual drive for membership. In this letter was a brief summary of the activities carried on by Christian Endeavor. Doesn't it thrill you to hear about all of the exciting things that have taken place this past year and the plans for 1975?

Please respond with your 1975 gift today. Faithfulness by many loyal supporters this past year is appreciated and we look forward to an ever-increasing number of Christians encouraging us to promote the current program of Christian Endeavor and launch forth to assist youth in the local church to confess Jesus Christ as their personal Saviour and seek to train them for Christian service.

God bless you all as you continue to prayerfully consider the mission and work of Christian Endeavor around the world.

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Both tours begin June 29 and include round trip airfare on regularly scheduled airlines and five full days at the International Convention.

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PLUS ALASKA JULY 5-13

One-half day sight-seeing in Vancouver, British Columbia, followed by an eight-day deluxe cruise to Alaska on THE SUN PRINCESS. This personally-conducted tour is limited to 46 persons.

TOUR COST per person (all expenses included) is: From Portland, \$935 to \$1,140; San Francisco, \$995-\$1,200; Los Angeles, \$1,035-\$1,240; Chicago, \$1,115-\$1,320; Buffalo, 1,130-\$1,335; Columbus \$1,140-\$1,345; New York, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, or Washington, D.C., \$1,145-\$1,350. (Exact rate depends on stateroom desired.)

PLUS HAWAII JULY 5-12

Four days on Oahu with superior class rooms at the Queen Kapiolani Hotel in Honolulu, Sunday worship at Kawaiahao Church, and Pearl Harbor Cruise. Three days on Kauai, the garden isle, with superior class rooms at the Kauai Resort Hotel, Wailua River Cruise, and special activities with Island Endeavorers. This personally-conducted tour is limited to 40 people.

TOUR COST per person (all expenses except meals in Hawaii) is: From Portland, \$700; Chicago, \$830; Detroit, \$880; Cleveland, \$885; Philadelphia, \$890; Pittsburgh or New York, \$895; and Washington, D.C., \$900.

Rev. Charles W. Barner, Tour Director
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